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PASSENGER TRAINS south pass here at 7:47 a. m. and 6:15 p. m. Trains north at 8:35 a. m. and 8:45 p. m.

GRASS IS KING.  
Go to church to-morrow.

QUARTERLY meeting commenced at the Methodist church to-day.

THE strawberry season has about played out. Blackberries next.

THE South-western University, of this city, matriculated 131 pupils the past session.

DR. J. M. WRIGHT will occupy Dr. Sears' pulpit to-morrow morning, and the Rev. F. C. Plaster will officiate at night.

HOP, JOHNSTON, of the Memphis Appeal says the early tomato crop is coming in. Send us a specimen, Hop, we are particularly fond of the fruit.

SEE J. W. and F. T. Manson's advertisement of eight Berkshire sows with young pigs for sale. Here is a chance to obtain extra fine stock hogs.

THE Detroit Free Press says "nothing looks much lower than a low-necked dress." Are we to understand from this that the editor of the Press is blind.

THE National Democratic Executive committee think so highly of Col. John F. House's speech in Congress that they have ordered 20,000 copies to be printed for general distribution.

PHILADELPHIA has ordered one hundred and fifty headstalls from Weakley & Warren, of Nashville. One of the numerous manufacturing establishments of this city is anxiously awaiting an order?

HENRY ELMER, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wilson, of this city, died on the 24th inst. This bud of earth has been transplanted in a brighter clime where it will bloom and expand to maturity and perfection.

REV. HARDIE BROWN, brother of Rev. R. K. Brown, of this city, and Professor of Languages in the State Normal School at Florence, Ala., has had the degree of D. D. conferred upon him by Warren College, of Bowling Green, Ky.

If any of our readers desire to purchase a comfortable residence with an excellent garden attached, located in one of the best neighborhoods in the city, they can hear of such an one by calling at this office. Terms easy and liberal.

UNDER the head of personals we see the name of our townsman, Col. T. D. Leonard, appears in the Dyersburg Gazette. He was in that section representing the interests of the Southern Agricultural Works of this city. He is the man for that work.

DROWNED.—Last Saturday evening five negro men attempted to cross the Sulphur Fork at Port Royal, in a skiff, and the current being very strong, upset the craft, when two of the party were drowned—the others were rescued by the crowd who had assembled upon the bank.

BURT RAMEY, a colored man who resides on the South-side of Cumberland river, fell from his wagon on Third street, last Saturday, and had his right leg crushed by the wheel passing over it. Mr. Wm. Shelby kindly removed him to his front yard in the shade, when Dr. Beaumont was called to his relief.

MANY charming young ladies will soon be missed from Clarksville society, as vacation begins at the Female Academy next week. Some of the masculine gender will be a loss to those to whom these beautiful evenings. Don't throw yourselves away, young gentlemen, on account of it, there is much beauty and refinement yet left in the city.

MESSRS. Lay & Rawls are prepared to furnish good meats at their stall every Monday morning, and will also be found at market on regular days. Persons who do not procure such meat as they need on Saturday to supply them until the Tuesday market, can call at their stall Monday morning and find what they want. This is a great convenience, and we trust they may be remunerated for it.

PROF. TATE, of Hickory Wild Academy, forwarded us a notice of his entertainment which was to come off last night at the Baptist church, at Guthrie. The notice came to the hand too late for last paper, but we will present it this week, therefore we cannot give any particulars. Forward your favors a little earlier for the future, Professor, and we will take pleasure in publishing them.

THE June No. of the American Farmer, promptly at hand as usual, contains a large amount of useful and seasonable matter in every branch of rural life and work. Peculiarly adapted to the circumstances and crops of the agricultural class of this section; its contributors practical and successful men; its editors, by long experience, fully apprised of the demands and needs of our farmers; it maintains its high reputation, and deserves the support it seems to so abundantly receive. The publishers are Sam'l Sands & Son, Baltimore, Md. Subscription, \$1.50 a year, or five copies for \$5.

## The Price of Gas Reduced.

We are glad to note a change in the management of the gas works. Mr. T. C. Hopper of Philadelphia, took possession of the works on the first of this month, and has sent Mr. E. Brennan, who for fifteen years has been Superintendent of the gas works at Urbana, Ohio, to take charge of the works here. Mr. Brennan comes among us highly recommended. The Urbana papers speak in such words of commendation of him, and regrets at his leaving them, that we have taken the liberty of inserting in another column some extracts from them in regard to his removal. Mr. Brennan under Mr. Hopper's orders, commences at once to thoroughly repair and put the works in perfect order and condition, and will give our citizens in a short time, such gas as cannot be surpassed in quality anywhere, and at four dollars per thousand feet—what it was supplied at before the war. He is further determined if the patronage becomes sufficiently large to justify him in doing it, to reduce the price to the very lowest point. All meters will be overhauled and tested, and replaced by those that register perfectly and accurately. Indeed everything will be done to make the works complete and satisfactory to consumers. All these improvements will require a large outlay, and we hope our citizens and the city authorities will give Mr. Hopper all the encouragement that he imports an enterprise to our city deserves.

THAT indefatigable specimen of manhood, Col. T. D. Leonard, has returned from a trip to the counties of Dyer, Ohio, etc., in West Tennessee, as agent for the sale of plows made here by the Southern Agricultural Works. He succeeded in securing many orders—many of them large ones—for these justly celebrated plows. The Col. was highly received and entertained by that handsome editor, Tom Neal, of the Gazette, and Mr. Thomas, of the Progress and others. He speaks in praise of these gentlemen, fully appreciating their courtesies. The protracted hunt he had about the close of a sultry day for a place to stay all night was another romance in the history of his travels. He has traveled extensively, and can work his way through difficulties equal to any man on the continent. He applied at four different places before he succeeded in procuring entertainment—the answer being "my wife is sick. I cannot take you in." After fighting his way over bridges and through musketoes he hailed where he saw a glimmering light, and was "taken in" and kindly cared for. He says the musketoes in that county are so thick in some places that you can drive a nail in them and hang up your hat. We are glad to welcome his return, and hope he may live just as long as he wants to, provided he remains in this vicinity, where his worth as a man and citizen is fully appreciated.

HOME AND SCHOOL.—We rejoice to see that publishers and manufacturers of school-material in the Middle and Eastern states recognize the enviable position Home and School has won among educational journals in a most substantial way, i. e., by advertising in it. There are nearly thirty pages of advertisements in this number. But the editor of Home and School does not permit this to interfere with the reading-matter, for he gives us the usual quantity, forty-eight pages, and of a quality slightly above even the high standard he has set for his magazine, it seems to us. We think there is published no cheaper magazine than Home and School, and we know there is no better one. Send \$2.50 to the publishers at Louisville, Ky., for a year's subscription.

REV. B. M. PALMER, of New Orleans, preached two very able and logical sermons at Franklin Hall last Sabbath—morning and night—to very large audiences. He is one of the best speakers we ever heard. The peculiar character of his eloquence depends upon the union of a consummate logical powers with an intense force of expression, which impresses his own individuality on the doctrines he preaches in such a way as to make the hearer feel that they come direct from the convictions of the preacher; the doctrines are those of the Presbyterian church according to the strictest interpretation of its theological standards. He stands at the head of the list of the many able divines of his denomination.

FINE SHEEP.—A large sale of sheep by the Peytonia Importing company, at Bagdad, Ky., came off on the 31st inst. Sixty-odd head of pure, imported Cotswold sheep were disposed of. Mr. Charles T. Barker, of Christian county, bought a two-year old ewe for \$20, and a yearling buck for \$10. This stock was bred in Ontario, Canada, and the prices did not prove remunerative to the owners. We are truly glad to see that so many of the best farmers are turning their attention to buying and breeding pure stock, as we feel assured that they will be amply compensated for their trouble.

TAX SALES FOR 1875.—On Monday, July 3, Mr. J. T. Atkins, Railroad tax collector, and Mr. R. D. Moseley, State and county tax collector, will offer for sale a large lot of tracts of land, town lots and parts of town lots, for taxes for 1875. Mr. Atkins' list will be found on the fourth page of our paper and Mr. Moseley's list may be seen in the Tobacco Leaf. We would respectfully suggest to all, whose names appear in these lists, to settle as promptly as possible, as all who do so before the day of sale will save a vast deal of expense and trouble.

MRS. MARY A. ROBERTS, wife of Mr. C. H. Roberts, of this county, has gone with her afflicted daughter, Fannie, to Ottumwa, Iowa, for treatment. We have known this little sufferer from infancy and would heartily rejoice to announce her return and restoration from the sore affliction under which she has labored. The unceasing attention and heartfelt solicitude of her devoted parents has never waned, and now they resort to the Ottumwa infirmary, which we hope may prove beneficial to her.

MR. G. W. LEIGH has returned to Clarksville and has taken a position as salesman in the dry goods store of Mr. E. Glick. He would take it as a special favor to receive a call from his friends and acquaintances, whether they wish to buy goods or not.

## Book Notice.

REVIEW.—The complete Postal works of John Greenleaf Whittier, Centennial edition. One of our criteria for the estimate of American literature is the canon that the more thoroughly American it is the better we like it. Indeed we are disposed to carry our canon to this extreme that the writer be a New England man, he cannot be too characteristically Yankee; we want the Yankee shrewdness, the Yankee ruggedness of stern unyielding rectitude, and not only these but like to see a vigorous cropping out of Yankee prejudices and antipathies provided all be interfused with a warm glow of universal love as we recognize to be the chief in three of the most characteristic writers of that section, Hawthorne, Whittier and Lowell.

These sentiments are elicited by the reception of the new edition of Whittier's works above designated; it was long since we had looked into any poem of his, and of those which were written during and since the war we were entirely ignorant—let us acknowledge the fact that this ignorance was of our own prejudice, the war had not disposed us in favor of New England literature—but it is the centennial year, and we have swallowed it down, a abolitionist and all and like him best where his antagonism to the South is the most pronounced.

There is an honest, whole-hearted hate about him that is akin to love; his hate is a love that darkens of itself and is not a hate where else a brother's love was the instinct of nature, and when we read his honest words with the cold-blooded spite of those who took up abolitionism when it became profitable, and kept old wounds festering as they were, there was no more of him than of those in their feasting exorcisms, by the very contrast we love him and would not have him other than he is.

The price of the work considering the beauty of the type, paper and illustrations is wonderfully small and we cannot help thinking that our Clarksville booksellers would find many customers if they would make a large importation, not of this work only, but of the corresponding centennial editions of Longfellow and Tennyson. Since writing the above Messrs. Owen & Moore, inform us that they have ordered copies of the work and will soon have them on hand.

THE following complimentary notices of Mr. E. Brennan, are taken from the Urbana (Ohio) papers, the News and Gazette:

The gas works of our city having, by purchase, passed into the hands of C. C. Kiefer, of Dayton, Ohio, we understand our friend Ed. Brennan, who has been transferred by the company he has so faithfully served in his present capacity for years, to assume a similar position in Clarksville, Tenn. Mr. B. has been connected with the gas works here, in various capacities, for the better part of a century. In the change his friends lose a genial, social companion, and the community an upright, honorable citizen.—News.

Mr. Edward Brennan, who has been Superintendent of the Urbana Gas Works for six years past, takes a similar position in Clarksville, Tenn., and will shortly remove there. Mr. B. has been a resident of Urbana twenty-five years and sustains the reputation of a first-class business man, and his success as a manager of the interest of the company he represented here, has been highly satisfactory. With the experience he has in the matter of gas-light, the citizens of Clarksville may be assured that he will give them satisfaction.—Gazette.

A GOOD BEGINNING.—Under this caption the Shelbyville Gazette says: "Rev. H. S. McBride performed the marriage ceremony for the first time at the wedding of Mr. Thompson and Miss Lillie Powell last week. And we understand from those who were eye-witnesses that he officiated on that delicate occasion with all the elegance and ease of an old and accomplished veteran. According to the Methodist economy their preachers have no authority to perform the marriage ceremony until they have been ordained Deacons, which is usually done at the end of their first year of ministry. Mr. McBride was just ordained Deacon at the conference last Fall, from which he was sent to Shelbyville. We will try and arrange to give him another opportunity to officiate before very long.

Our senior editor has an idea of marrying some pretty Methodist girl himself to give this young divine another job.

Collector's Report.  
The following are the reports of the Collectors, for the month ending May 31, 1876.

State Tax, property.....\$4,826 00  
State Tax, dogs.....150 00  
County Revenue.....2,418 15  
State and county school.....1,280 00  
Total.....\$8,674 15

Total for State and County.....\$9,658 88  
J. T. Atkins, Railroad Collector.....2,280 00  
Peter O'Neal, County Clerk, privilege.....300 00  
County Privileges.....330 14  
Total Collections.....\$12,457 90

We had the pleasure of meeting our friend, Jo. B. Williams, in the city last Wednesday. He has been traveling since August last in the interest of J. Pappenheimer & Co., importers and jobbers of Hardware, Cincinnati, Ohio. Jo. is a live, energetic man, who will create business for any firm for whom he works. We send him the CHRONICLE at his request, and wish him great success.

We attended the Christian church last Sunday night and heard an earnest, practical sermon by Rev. W. A. Broadhurst. After the sermon, the pastor baptized two ladies, after which a gentleman and lady were baptized by Rev. R. K. Brown, of the Methodist church. Great solemnity pervaded the large audience in attendance.

WATCH LOST.—On the 6th inst. Mr. G. W. Warfield, of this county, lost a double case gold watch between his residence and St. Bethlehem. This watch was a gift from his father, which, aside from its worth, makes it very valuable to him. Read his advertisement in another column.

THE Sunday School of Bethel and New Providence will have a picnic at Davis' mill, Saturday, June 17. Rev. R. K. Brown will address the schools on the occasion, and the surrounding woods are to be Amaranth until they become resonant with the praises of God.

H. M. JOHNSTON, city editor of the Memphis Appeal, who has been sick and staying at his father's in this city for several weeks, has so far recovered as to be able to return to his post. We wish him a full and speedy restoration to health.

On the 8th of July next P. G. Johnson, C. M., will sell No. 2, of the river farm, of I. D. West. For terms, etc., read the advertisement.

P. O'NEAL, clerk, will offer the Franklin House for sale to-day. Every man who "knows how to keep hotel" should be on hand.

GAS.—T. C. Hopper, proprietor of the Gas Works, has a card in this issue, in which the public is much interested.

## A CALLED meeting of the Clarksville Tobacco District Council was held in this place last Tuesday.

About seventy Grangers were represented. We learn that they gave up the idea of establishing a Bank until next fall. \$7,000 was subscribed to purchase the Cumberland Warehouse and the lot adjoining. We learn that the trade has been consummated. The next regular meeting is on the 1st Tuesday in July, and every Granger in the District is expected to send their representatives. Business of importance will come before the meeting.

BOOK CLUB.—The first lot of Books ordered for the Clarksville Book club has arrived and members who have paid up their dues can procure volumes by applying at Owen & Moore's book store.

DANIEL F. WRIGHT, Pres't.

On the first Sunday in July Esquire Griffin Organ and others will, by invitation, have an old fashioned fair, singing, at South Clarksville church commencing at 10 o'clock. Come out, everybody, and bring your own Southern Harmonies with you.

The harvesting of wheat will commence in this section next week. Every farmer should see to it that all efforts are used to save the wheat after harvest.

The Tobacco Fair to take place at Nashville on Tuesday, 13th inst., will, doubtless, be largely attended. Premiums to the amount of \$6,000 are offered.

Mr. Robert Tompkins, of this city, has brought us a specimen stalk of his clover crop which measures five feet in length. He challenges any Granger to beat it.

R. J. BEAUMONT, editor of the Mayfield (Ky.) Democrat, has been arrested for robbing the mails, and makes confession of his guilt.

COL. J. E. BAILEY, of this city, spoke on State Finance, at Memphis last night.

OREGON has gone Democratic. A majority in the legislature of twelve on joint ballot.

COUNTY Dialogues No. 2, is crowded out by excess of matter, but will appear in our next.

PRAYER-MEETING will be held at the residence of J. A. Grant next Tuesday night.

SEE Kincannon, Wood & Co.'s special notice of store room for rent.

MARRIED.

In this city on the 7th inst., by S. A. Caldwell, Esq., Mr. E. J. KELLER and Miss LOUISA KERRICK, all of this county.

DIED.

At her residence near Cumberland City, on the 2d inst., ELIZABETH LEWIS, wife of James M. Lewis.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At the stated meeting of Barton's Creek Grange, No. 360, of Patrons of Husbandry, in May, a committee was appointed by W. M. to draft resolutions expressive of our feelings in regard to the death of a departed sister.

Resolved, That Barton's Creek Grange has lost a good member, and the community a true and faithful friend, and a loving wife.

Resolved, That we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who has taken our dear sister from this life, and that we will try and arrange to give him another opportunity to officiate before very long.

Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be presented to our beloved brother, and that we will endeavor to comfort him in his bereavement.

Resolved, That we wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days as a token of our respect for her, and that the Grange be closed for country produce.

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## Morton's Mississippi investigating committee is bringing forth certain facts about affairs in that State which will make the war governor regret that stable building fanaticism ever led him to demand an investigation.

Instead of showing "white league" crimes, Morton's own witnesses are showing up the raceability of Ames and his gang. Three witnesses, all Republicans, have testified under oath that Ames advised among the negroes against the whites, on the ground that it made no difference whether twenty or thirty of the former were killed, as "it would result to the benefit of the Republican party." That is the kind of "friend of the colored man" Ames is shown to be, and he is indorsed by Morton in a very enthusiastic manner.—Courier-Journal.

## Tobacco Sales.

Our offerings this week were about 600 hds. tobacco. The market was moderately steady on all desirable grades, but is off on low grades and nondescripts, owing to the improved crop prospects from the recently favorable weather. We hope that our planters will put forth every effort to make a full planting, putting out every available plant. We quote

Lugs.....\$ 4 50 to 5 25  
Common Leaf.....9 00 to 10 25  
Medium Leaf.....11 00 to 12 25  
Good Leaf.....13 00 to 14 25  
Selection.....15 00 to 16 25

Grassy Warehouse.

HARRISON & SHELLEY, of the Grassy Warehouse, sold for the week ending June 8, 116 hds. as follows:

39 Hds. Medium to Good Leaf, \$11 00 to 15 00  
31 Hds. Low Leaf, \$8 00 to 10 75  
31 Hds. Common to Fine Lugs, \$6 00 to 8 00

Central Warehouse.

KENDRICK, HAMBACH & Co., of the Central Tobacco Warehouse, sold for the week ending June 8, 102 Hds. as follows:

24 Hds. Good to Fine Leaf, \$12 00 to \$17 25  
24 Hds. Low Leaf, \$8 00 to 10 75  
24 Hds. Common to Fine Lugs, \$6 25 to 11 25

Messrs. Turnley, Ely & Co., of the Elephant warehouse handled in their sales for three weeks ending June 8, but in account of lack of space and time we are reluctantly compelled to omit it.

FOR RENT.

The Store House now occupied by C. C. Everett. Apply to KINCANNON, WOOD & Co. June 10, 1876-1f.

Loogvieu, Ky., 4, 1874.

I have used the Excelsior for past four years. It has stood the most severe test and is now a good machine and in good order. I regard it as the best I ever saw.

T. F. CLARBY,  
T. P. BURKE General Agent,  
Clarksville, Tenn.

A WHITE girl, of good character, can procure a situation as nurse in a good family in the city. Apply at this office for further information.

Temperate and Cool.

Double-warp Alpaca Coats; Linen and Mohair Suits, Neckties and Gaiters Undershirts, fine French Diagonal and Cloth Dress Suits, Light Drilling Drawers, Linen Handkerchiefs, Linen and Paper Collars.

The best No. 1 Fine Linen-bosom Shirt complete for \$1.50. All in stock and offered very low for cash, by June 3, 1876. PITMAN & LEWIS.

NEW CLOTHING STORE.—Mr. H. M. Brill has just opened a large and select stock of Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, etc., in the room next door to Q. C. Atkinson's Furniture store. He is permanently located, and will sell good goods at very low prices. All who desire goods in his line should give him a call before purchasing, and be convinced as to quality and price. May 27, 76-4f.

Why Is It that you suffer with Coughs, when 50 cents will buy a remedy guaranteed to cure? Remember, no cure no pay. For sale by

mcB 25-1f. OWEN & MOORE.

McAULEY & Co., dealers in first-class Drugs and Medicines.

April 22, 1876-1f.

CALL at E. Glick's Store for Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and 'Notions. He sells at very low prices. No. 13, Franklin Street, Clarksville, Tenn.

April 15, 1876-3m.

WANTED!

Several industrious girls can find employment at Mrs. Driscoll's Underwear Manufactory. Please call immediately.

ISABELLA DRISCOLL, may 13-1f.

Wool and Ginseng WANTED.

We will pay the highest market price for wool or ginseng, in large or small lots, delivered at Clarksville, Tenn. S. OPPENHEIMER.

April 29, 76-3m.

We are the Sole Agents at this place for Warden & Oxnard's celebrated Elaine, the family safe-guard oil.

McAULEY & Co. April 22, 1876-1f.

To THE LADIES.—If you want visiting or invitation cards, we wish to remind you that we have a large and elegant assortment of the latest styles, all colors and tints, and can furnish them in the best printed style, at the shortest notice. Give us a call.

THE celebrated Stallion, Octoroon, Jr., is now at the Fair Grounds, where he will stand the remainder of the season. If you want good stock try him.

Extra Clerk hire and the expense attending the collection of accounts are paid by the purchaser. We propose saving our customers this expense by calling at our store and settling their bills.

McAULEY & Co. April 22, 1876-1f.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce S. E. RAMEY as a candidate for Sheriff at the August election.

We are authorized to announce JAMES E. JOHNSLEY, as a candidate for Sheriff, at the August election.

Feb. 19, 1876-1de.



T. P. BURKE,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

EXCELSIOR REAPERS AND MOWERS,

Manufactured by Hoover & Co., Miamisburg, Ohio.

CELEBRATED MILBURN WAGONS,

Iron Axle and Thimble Skein.

AND

GENERAL

COMMISSION MERCHANT!

CLARKSVILLE, TENN.

Jan. 8, 1876-1f.

NEW HOME ENTERPRISE

MRS. ISABELLA DRISCOLL has removed from the new building one door east of the Court House, on Franklin street, where she is fully prepared to cut and manufacture

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

of every description. Gentlemen's shirts, speciality. Nice linen bosom shirts for \$1.50 to \$1.75. Gents' Drilling Drawers at 80 cents. Ready-made Calico suits constantly on hand.

PATTERNS! PATTERNS!

Mrs. Driscoll is Agent for Madam Demorest's Latest Patterns for Ladies, Misses and Boys' Clothing, and has just received a full supply of the